Statement II

High Power TV transmitters expected to be completed during 1995-96

State	Location	Power
Andhra Pradesh	Kurnool Nandyal	
Maharashtra	Bombay (DD-II)	
Mizoram	Lunglei	
Nagaland	Mokokchung	
Rajasthan	Barmer (Interim se up 1 KW) Jaisalmer	
Tamil Nadu	Rameshwaram (Permanent 10 KW) Madras (DD-III)	
West Bengal	Calcutta (DD-III)	
Delhi	Delhi (DD-III)	

Satellite based regional services by **Doordarshan**

7856. SHRI K. M. KHAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Satellite based regional services have been provided by Doordarshan in some States and Union Territories;

(b) if so, names of such States and Union Territories;

(c) whether people have been benefited with this services;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether Government propose to extend this facility in some more States and Union Territories during the current financial year; and

(f) if so, details thereof and if not, reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Satellite based regional services have been provided by Doordarshan in the following States:—

Kerala, Tamilnadu, Orissa, West Bengal, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Andhra Pradesh, U.P., Bihar, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Punjab & Jammu and Kashmir and North Eastern States.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. The Satellite derived regional services are available all over the country, with the help of dish antena system, including in remote areas where terrestrial signal is not available. As such, the effective viewership of regional language satellite services has increased considerably.

(e) and (f) No, Sir. Presently no transponder is available to extend regional language satellite services.

Television serial on Corbett National Park

7857. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proopsal to produce a T.V. serial on film on